

AUS 0 6 2002 B

Reissue

I SHARON NANCE hereby certify that this correspondence, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.8, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box reissue, Washington, D.C. 20231, on:

Date: 7-30-02

By Nauon Nance

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

Skotheim et al.

Docket No.:

57519.00012

Reissue of Patent No.:

5,961,972

Art Unit:

1745

Reissue Application No.:

09/768,636

Examiner:

Maples

Filing Date:

January 24, 2001

TITLE:

Stabilized Anode for Lithium-Polymer Batteries

TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Box Reissue Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Commissioner:

RECEIVED

AUG 1 5 2002

TC 1700

Herewith is a response in the above-identified application to the Office Action mailed on April 3, 2002. Applicants hereby petition, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, that the shortened statutory response period be extended for one month until August 3, 2002. The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is enclosed.

Fee Calculation: Request for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R.§1.136(a)

[X]	Response filed within first month after due date – add	\$ 110.00
[]	Response filed within second month after due date – add	\$ 400.00
[]	Response filed within third month after due date – add	\$ 920.00
[]	Response filed within fourth month after due date – add	\$1440.00
[]	Response filed within fifth month after due date – add	\$1960.00

Subtotal: \$110.00

08/06/2002 CNGUYEN 00000042 193878

09768636 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE ENCLOSED:

\$110.00

01 FC:115

110.00 CH

[X] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3878 in the amount of \$ 110.00 .
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 [] A Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. check in the amount of \$ ____ is attached.

This statement does NOT authorize charge of the issue fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under 37 C.F.R.§§1.16-1.18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this Application and the resulting Official document under 37 C.F.R. §1.20, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3878 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

July 30, 2002

Date

By Beant B Ching
Alexander B. Ching

Reg. #41,669

SQUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY L.L.P. Two Renaissance Square 40 North Central Avenue, Suite 2700 Phoenix, Arizona 85004-4498 (602) 528-4166